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(Summary) Bonn--Economics Minister Erhard said on Apr. 14 in Bonn that he decisively advocates the continuation of the present Federal Government policy in the foreign, domestic, and economic fields. Erhard added that the economic policy will remain unchanged.

Circles close to the Minister indicated that Erhard refuses to comment on the possible successor to the Chancellor since the question must be decided by those competent in the CDU/CSU.

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